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For: **FLEXIBLE HYDRAULIC VISE**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIMETHE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed August 19, 1999.

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 19, 1999 for three month(s) from November 19, 1999 to February 19, 2000.

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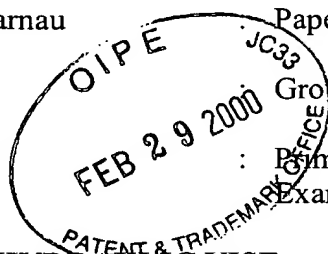
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